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## Affidavit to Procure Quarterly Pension.

The State of Texas, }  
County of Bowie

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally came  
Preston Bland  
who, being duly sworn, says that he resides in Bowie  
county, Texas; that he is the identical person to whom a pension was  
granted under the act passed March 25, 1885; and that he author-  
izes JOE H. STEWART to collect any warrant for pension that may  
be issued to him, and to receive any deficiency or other certificate that  
may be issued to him as such pensioner, and to collect and sell such  
certificate--revoking all other authority. Also at the same time per-  
sonally came N.B. Massenburg a credible  
person to me known, who, being duly sworn, says that the facts stated  
by the first affiant are true.

(Pensioner sign here.)

(Witness sign here.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23 day  
of May 1888.

WITNESS my hand and official seal hereto affixed the  
day and date last above given.

D. D. Gupton

J. P. Bowen County, Texas.

Instructions.—On or after.....first (and not before), you and an acquaintance  
must take this paper to a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, or the County Clerk, and both of you sign it before the